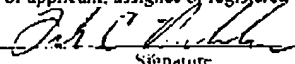


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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

The present amendment replies to a final Office Action dated December 2, 2004. Claims 1-30 are currently pending in the present application. In the final Office Action, the Examiner found the Applicant's arguments filed August 4, 2004, unpersuasive and maintained the rejection of pending claims 1-30.

The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and further examination of the present application under 37 CFR §1.112.